

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 95**

January 22, 2009

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Creates new Class C misdemeanor for operating bicycles on River Road in Davidson County between Charlotte Pike and the Cheatham County line.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**Increase State Revenue - \$200/Recurring**

**Increase State Expenditures - \$400/One-Time/Highway Fund**

**Increase Local Revenue – Not Significant**

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Safety (DOS), approximately 20 individuals will be convicted of this offense per year.
- DOS estimates the fine for this misdemeanor offense to be \$15.
- Twenty percent will not pay fine due to indigence.
- The increase of fine revenue is estimated to be \$240 per year (20 x \$15 x 80% = \$240).
- Local governments receive five percent of fine revenue as commission.
- The increase to local government revenue is estimated to be not significant.
- The net increase to state revenue is estimated to be \$200 per year.
- According to the Department of Transportation, the one-time cost to erect the required signage would be approximately \$400.

**CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and a distinct "W".

James W. White, Executive Director

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